

General Assembly

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Committee Bill No. 411

LCO No. 3317

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by: (PH)

AN ACT CONCERNING PROFESSIONAL LICENSING BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- Section 1. Section 20-74bb of the general statutes is amended by adding subsection (h) as follows (*Effective October 1, 2003*):
- 3 (NEW) (h) Notwithstanding the requirements of subsection (a) of
- 4 this section, the commissioner shall grant a license to any person who
- 5 (1) has practiced as a radiographer for at least ten years, one of which
- 6 years was no earlier than two years from the date of application
- 7 pursuant to this section, and (2) (A) holds a current registration as a
- 8 radiation therapy technologist issued by the American Registry of
- 9 Radiological Technologists on or before January 1, 1984, or (B) holds
- 10 current licensure as a radiographer in another state, issued on or
- 11 before January 1, 1984. No license shall be issued pursuant to this
- 12 subsection to any applicant regarding whom disciplinary action was
- taken, is pending or who is the subject of an unresolved complaint.
- Sec. 2. (Effective October 1, 2003) Notwithstanding the provisions of
- 15 subsection (b) of section 20-206bb of the general statutes, during the

- 16 period from October 1, 2003 to October 31, 2003, inclusive, the
- 17 Department of Public Health shall issue a license as an acupuncturist
- 18 under chapter 384c of the general statutes to any applicant who
- 19 presents to the department satisfactory evidence that the applicant has:
- 20 (1) Passed the National Commission for the Certification of
- 21 Acupuncturists written examination by test or by credentials review;
- 22 (2) successfully completed the practical examination of point location
- 23 skills offered by the National Commission for the Certification of
- 24 Acupuncturists; and (3) successfully completed the Clean Needle
- 25 Technique Course offered by the Council of Colleges of Acupuncture
- 26 and Oriental Medicine.

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	October 1, 2003
Sec. 2	October 1, 2003

Statement of Purpose:

To allow qualified individuals to receive licensure in this state.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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